House Resolution No. 3884

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who have proven down through the years to be exemplary citizens in local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, Dorothy Stumpe of Washington, Missouri, attained considerable distinction on August 10, 2008, when she was inducted into the Missouri 4-H Hall of Fame during a ceremony that was performed at the 4-H Building on the Missouri State Fairgrounds in Sedalia; and

Whereas, a 4-H member in Franklin County, Kansas, during the 1920s and 1930s, Dorothy Stumpe as an adult served as a 4-H club leader and as a project leader in the areas of crochet, crafts, and raising herbs; and

Whereas, Dorothy Stumpe has retained some of the things that she made as a 4-H member, including a scrapbook, a potholder, a linen handkerchief, and a book made from recycled paper; and

Whereas, Dorothy Stumpe planted a windbreak as a student, and thirty years later it was credited with saving a home and farm during a tornado; and

Whereas, Dorothy Stumpe's windbreak and other conservation projects resulted in her winning the title of State Conservation Project winner; and

Whereas, one of the proudest moments enjoyed by Dorothy Stumpe as a student involved in 4-H was when a calf that she raised was named Grand Champion Fat Calf at the 1934 American Royal livestock show

Whereas, Dorothy Stumpe is still interested in conservation and teaches recycling to project members in the Washington, Missouri Eager Beavers 4-H Club; and

Whereas, Dorothy Stumpe is justifiably proud also to be known as the loving mother of two children who were active in the Franklin County 4-H program and who helped attain the title of 4-H Century Family for families whose members total one hundred years of 4-H involvement:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved induction of Dorothy Stumpe into the Missouri 4-H Hall of Fame and to convey to her this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for continued success in life for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Dorothy Stumpe of Washington, Missouri.

Offered by

Representative Kevin Threlkeld District No. 109

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3884, adopted August 12, 2008.